APPENDIX

| T*BLE OF AGES

It ma> be an aid to the reader'b imagination in visualising the Eliza-bethan age to note the ages of some of the more interesting men at the date *tthen the *Second Elizabethan Journal* begins The dates of birth are taken for the most part from the *Dictionary of National Biography* , dates in *italic numerals* are approximate

OVER SEVENTY

William Cecil, Lord Burleigh, Lord High Treasurer (1520), Thomas Churchward *(1526)*, John Stow *(1525}*

OVER SIXTY

John Whitgift, Archbishop of Canterbury (1530), Sir John Hawkins (1532), QUEEN ELIZABETH (1533), Mr Sergeant Yelverton, Speaker of the House in 1597-8 (1535)

OVER FIFTY

Lord Charles Howard, Lord High Admiral (1536), William Byrd (*"53<S) > Sir Thomas Egerton, Lord Keeper m 1596 (1540), Sir Francis Drake (1540)» The Earl of Tyrone (1540), Thomas Deloney (1543), Nicholas Breton (1545) , Thomas Bodley (1545)

OVER FORTY

George Carey, Lord Hunsdon, Lord Chamberlain in 1597 (1547) , Sir John Norns (1547) , Sir Walter Ralegh *(1552}*» Richard Haklujt (1552) > Edmund Spenser (1552), Sir Edward Coke, Attorney-General (1552)* John Lyly *(1534)*, Richard Hooker (1554), Lancelot Andrews (1555)

Ifc THE THIRTIES

George Clifford, Earl of Cumberland (1558), Thomas Lodge ta[5S)t George Peele (1555), George Chapman (1559) , Sir Francis Vere(i56o)» Francis Bacon (1561) , Lord Thomas Howard (1561), John Hanngton (1561), Robert Southwell *(1561)* , Samuel Daniel (i 562), Michael Drayton (1563), Charles Blount, Lord Mountjoy v r 563), Sir Robert Cecil, Principal Secretary (1563), Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland (1564), William Shakespeare (1564), Sir Anthony Shirley (1565)

IN THE TWENTIES

King James VI (i 566), Robert Devereuz, Earl of

Essex *(1566)* ,
Edward Allejne (1566), Thomas Nashe (1567),
Richard Burbage